

REMARKS

The patentable nature of these inventions is appreciated by the Applicant and his undersigned attorney.

Claims 14 and 15 were indicated to be allowable and have been amended with some variation to be the same as the original claims 14 and 15. The §112 concerns are believed to have been fully addressed. Accordingly, these claims are now believed to be in full condition for allowance. Favorable action is appropriate and respectfully requested.

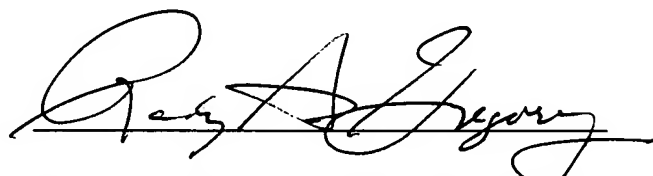
New claims 21 and 22 have been added. Claims 21 and 22 are similar to claims 14 and 15 and are believed allowable for the same reasons. Favorable action is respectfully requested.

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